

Y. M. C. A. KEEPS SOLDIERS CLEAN IN HEART AND BODY

ELMER WILCOX IN PRAISE OF THE "Y"

"Y. M. C. A. at Cantonment Strives to Keep Men From Going to Town and Meeting Women of Streets"

"Ten Big Y. M. C. A. Buildings at Camp Dodge, Work They do is Greatest Thing in the Country"

In a letter from Camp Dodge written on Y. M. C. A. stationery, Elmer Wilcox writes his uncle, Gurdon Wilcox of Brainerd, and praises the Y. M. C. A.

WHY A SOLDIER BOY LIKES THE "Y"

 Greatest thing in the country.
 Gives the boys free entertainment.
 Furnishes books to read.
 Paper to write with.
 Church every Sunday.
 Y. M. C. A. influence keeps men from going to town and running around with women of the street.

Wilcox writes:
 "I never realized just what the Y. M. C. A. was doing in this country till I came to Camp Dodge. Now I think that they are one of the greatest things there is in the country."

They give us free entertainment every night, and furnish us with books to read and paper to write with, and hold church every Sunday. I think there are about ten big Y. M. C. A. buildings at this camp. They try to keep the men from going to town and running around with the class of women that hang around the streets."

If I can get one of the company pictures for you I will. They are sure fine. We have just got one here in the camp to look at, the others have not come yet.

You were saying that our relatives have had a representative in nearly every war, so I will try and keep up the name in this war.

I have been promoted to first class private, that raises my wages to \$33 per month.

I have heard since I started this letter that all corporals and sergeants will be kept here to train the other boys that come in, but I don't know yet if it is true, so don't write till you hear from me again.

One of the officers came in with the report that we would be on our way to Camp Pike, Ark., by Friday of this week (Letter dated Nov. 12.)

I kind of hate to leave here now, they are just getting things equipped in fine shape. We have hot and cold water to work in and shower baths in our quarters. We have good clean barracks and good beds to sleep on.

Say Gurdon, if anybody tries to tell you that we are not getting enough to eat you tell him he is off his base, because we are getting better food here than the men that are doing the kicking.

For supper last night we had bread, butter, potatoes, gravy, roast pork and fruit salad and other little things such as beet pickles and syrup and we had plenty of it too.

There are 168 men in our company now and there is not one man that has not gained from 5 to 15 pounds, so I guess they are not starving. I have gained 12 pounds myself, I weigh 147 pounds now.

I have had three inoculations and two vaccinations since I have been here. We had a tuberculosis and heart examination the other day. There were a few in our company that had tuberculosis. They have not discharged them yet, but I guess they will.

Sending Troops to Europe by Japan is Impossible

Tokio, Nov. 16—Sending troops to Europe by Japan is impossible according to an address by Minister of Finance Spoda, which is taken as expressing the official sentiment.

SEN. WM. H. KING

Urges American declaration of war on Austria-Hungary.



Whether the United States shall declare war on Austria-Hungary will be determined by congress at the session beginning next month. There has been a growing sentiment in favor of a declaration of war on the dual kingdom, and Senator William H. King of Utah has served notice that he will offer and press in congress a resolution proclaiming a state of war with the principal ally of Germany.

American Steamer Kansas City is Believed Lost

(By United Press)
 Washington, Nov. 16—The American steamer Kansas City is believed to have been lost at sea the navy department announces, as it has been missing since September 5.

Germans Take Cismen

(By United Press)
 Berlin, Nov. 16—The capture of Cismen and the taking of several hill positions along the Breita river is announced in official dispatches.

Kaiser Preparing Public for Another Retreat West Front

(By United Press)
 With the British in Flanders, Nov. 16—German newspapers found on recently captured prisoners show that the Kaiser is preparing the public for another strategic retreat on the west front. The captured German officers admit that the German command entertains fear that a retirement of several miles may be necessary because of British advances. In two months Crown Prince Rupprecht has exhausted one half million men in vainly defending Passchendaele ridge.

Americans Defeat German Plans for Raid on Trenches

(By United Press)
 American Field Headquarters, Nov. 16—American artillerymen planted a roaring barrage of shells over the front of the trenches held by the American infantrymen early Thursday and defeated the German plans for a raid on the same.

British Planes Best the Germans

(By United Press)
 London, Nov. 16—Two German planes were destroyed and two more forced to descend out of control and bombs were dropped over the German aeroplane sheds at Handzaeme by British planes all of which were engaged in the action returning safely to their station.

Street Fighting and General Riot

(By United Press)
 Washington, Nov. 16—The state department is in receipt of a message from Ambassador Francis stating that there had been street fighting and that the control of the cable offices had shifted several times between Kerensky and Bolsheviks during the past few days.

MISS BELLE ASHLYN

Former wife of Billy Gould to wed reserve officer soon.



Miss Belle Ashlyn, once the wife of Billy Gould, who is to wed Allanson Follansbee, head of one of Chicago's leading brokerage firms. He is now at the officers' school at Fort Sheridan.

England Not Responsible

(By United Press)
 London, Nov. 16—England is not responsible for the proposal to deprive Portugal of her colonies, Lord Cecil declared in the house of commons.

New Cabinet Formed

(By United Press)
 Paris, Nov. 16—George Clemenceau has completed his new cabinet, succeeding the Painleve ministry, two of the old members being retained. Clemenceau is premier and minister of war.

\$3,000 MARK HAS BEEN ATTAINED

Shops, Foundry and Mill Swings Into Line Today in the Big Drive for Y. M. C. A. War Work Fund

Boy Scouts Mobilizing for Their Rush on Saturday, Lodges are Giving, Bachelors to the Front

Italians Hold All Positions Mountain Front

(By United Press)
 Rome, Nov. 16—The Teutonic efforts to encircle the northern flank of the Italian irregular line is being repulsed according to official information. They have retained all positions on the mountain front from Asiago plateau to the Piave in spite of the heavy attacks at various points.

Warns Against Over Confidence in Sub Menace

London, Nov. 16—The submarine menace is not yet under control Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, tells the house of commons and solemnly warns against over optimism because of recent statements showing a great falling off in loss of shipping.

Troops are Trapped in Mountain Passes

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 16—5,000 government troops sent to operate against Zapata and Diaz forces have been trapped in the mountain passes and practically annihilated according to a code message received by American mining men.

Saturday, bright and early, the Boy Scouts will begin their campaign in the interests of the Y. M. C. A. War Fund campaign and few will escape these little men, who appreciate perhaps as much as the older heads just what it means to the men at the front and who are in the work, heart and soul to help put Brainerd "over the top" in good shape.

All Must Give
 While reports from solicitors and field men are coming in showing liberal donations, the public must understand that they must give and give liberally to help raise the quota of \$8,000 allotted to Brainerd. Donations of \$1.00 from individuals who are financially able to give ten times that sum are not what is needed; everyone must dig and dig down deep in their pockets.

We are remaining at home, enjoying the comforts of life, home environments, and all that go to make life worth living; our young men are across the water fighting this fight for every one of us and the least we can do is to indicate our appreciation by denying ourselves and coming right to the front with good sized donations. Everyone must give and the example being set by men of means, the men who tell and individuals in almost every walk in life should be emulated by those who, up to the present time, have either been slow in giving or given a sum much below what might naturally be expected of them.

Lodges Are Giving
 The following donations from lodges, churches and fraternal orders indicates the interest in the movement being taken:

White Cross Lodge, No. 30,	
Knights of Pythias.....	\$25.00
Fraternal Order of Eagles.....	15.00
Masonic Blue Lodge.....	25.00
Ladies' Aid of Norwegian church of South Long Lake	10.00

Total\$75.00
 The Eagles Lodge of Fergus Falls gave \$150.00 towards the Y. M. C. A. War Fund, according to reports received today.

Campaign in Shops
 The campaign in the shops and factories began today and a substantial addition to the fund is anticipated, judging from the interest being shown in every avenue of labor. Up to press time today, about \$3,000 had been subscribed, exclusive of the shops, foundry or mill. Predictions are being made that Brainerd will go "over the top" in splendid shape before the drive ends, but it means liberal support on the part of everyone and the committee urges the public generally to be prepared to do their bit.

Up to Bachelors
 Some of our unmarried young men are asking why they are being asked to contribute more than they are usually called upon for. That is being done for several reasons. For one thing, we are trying to raise a greater sum than we ever before tried to raise; second, the unmarried man has only one mouth to feed; third, the man approached is lucky that he is at home and not in the trenches and should be more than willing to do his utmost to help his less fortunate pal; finally, if the lad at home likes his movies, his books, his smokes and his lounging places, who then can better appreciate a soldier boy's long—
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This important photograph shows hundreds of Russian troops, who overthrew Premier Kerensky, marching through the streets of Petrograd to a meeting at which the provisional government was denounced. It proves the strength of the opposition to his government even three weeks ago, and shows the soldiers did not care for the orders of the premier.

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Evolution of the Wheel.
Naturally, there was a first man to
eat an oyster, and there must have
been some heroic pioneer to tackle
every edible article that is known to
civilization today. High authority has
bestowed eulogy on the man who in-
vented the wheel, and some have gone
so far as to assert that this unidenti-
fied genius was the greatest benefac-
tor of the race, but we may doubt if
the wheel was really an invention. It
seems more likely to have been a
gradual discovery, the result of a slow,
evolutionary process for which no man
or group of men could claim the cred-
it.—Exchange.


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a little of your money, Young Man - this
is OLD advice, but its GOOD advice.
We can tell you how. Ask us about our
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Established 1881
Capital and Surplus
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Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:
Rising temperature.
Cooperative observer's record, 6:30
P. M.—
November 15, maximum 60, mini-
mum 36. First sunshine in weeks.
November 16, minimum for night,
27.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

• **News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,**
• **gratefully received by the Dis-
patch. Telephone North-**
• **west 74.**

For Spring Water phone 264. If
John H. Mullen of St. Paul was in
Brainerd Thursday.

Irvine Chrysler is employed at the
Model meat market.

Thistledown at H. P. Dunn's,
druggist. 137tf

Olsen Skau of Deerwood was in the
city on road matters.

Sheriff Claus A. Theorin went to
Nisswa this afternoon.

Onions 35c a peck at Larson's groce-
ry, 618 Laurel. 139tf

Charles M. Babcock of Elk River
was in the city yesterday.

Store your household goods with D.
M. Clark & Co. 129tf

Werner Brackner went to Camp
Dodge yesterday to visit his brother
George.

The Degree of Honor will give a
hard time dance at Elks hall on Tues-
evening, Nov. 20. 14112

B. E. Dunham of the Brainerd Elec-
tric Co., is wiring the consolidated
school at Mildred.

Nettleton rents and sells houses
and wooded lots for fuel. 132tf

Miss Vivian Brockway is employed
as a clerk at the Brainerd Electric
Co. store on Laurel street.

Theodore Brusegaard of the Lake-
side Lumber Co., is at the Twin
Cities on business matters.

Brass and silver photo frames, all
sizes and at prices to suit you at D.
E. Whitney's. 105tf

Mrs. Wm. Nelson, wife of the secre-
tary of the water and light board,
was operated on for gallstones.

Rev. A. Sorenson has returned from
Fergus Falls where he attended a
circuit meeting of the church.

Did you get your shirt? Carlson's
have them on sale for only
\$1.05. See their windows. 138tf

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hall and little
daughter Ruth Eleanor, of Bay Lake,
are guests of friends in the city.

Get a McDonald Dress Shirt, Union
Made, for only \$1.05 at Carlson's and
save money. 138tf

Twenty-one forties were sold at
the land sale held at County Auditor
C. W. Mahlum's offices Thursday.

Try our cooking apples, \$1.25 a
basket. Larson's Grocery, 618 Lau-
rel. 139tf

Miss Katherine Bruhn of Winni-
per, Canada, is a guest of her parents
Mr. and Mrs. C. Bruhn of the Walker
block.

This Sunday at the First Congre-
gational church, Rev. G. P. Sheri-
dan will preach on the subject "The
Greatness of Jesus."

Leather photograph folders, just
what the soldier boys need, at D. E.
Whitney's. 105tf

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Haughtelin of
Crosby were in the city today. He is
the superintendent of the Crosby-
Ironton high school.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

The annual Thanksgiving ball of
Hope Hose company will be given
Thursday evening, November 29, at
the Gardner auditorium.

Elm Panovich in district court
pleaded guilty to the charge of keep-
ing an unlicensed drinking place and
was fined \$100 and costs.

Court Magnolia No. 54, U. O. F.,
will give a dance for the benefit of
the Red Cross on Wednesday, Nov.
21, Elks hall. Tickets 50c. 138tf

On orders from Bemidji police,
Chief John D. Gile took in custody
F. E. Grimball, alleged to have neg-
lected to pay his board bill.

Attend the Edison Diamond Disc
Phonograph recital Tuesday after-
noon, Nov. 20th, at 3:30 o'clock.
Folsom Music Co. 139tf

T. A. Gatten, of this city, has been
granted a patent on a molder's trowel
by the patent office department ac-
cording to a Washington dispatch.

Send in your fall suits, evening
wraps, gloves and ties. Let us dem-
onstrate the exquisite quality of our
work. Phone 211, Model Laundry. 1t

Herman Koop returned to Duluth
this afternoon. He is recovering
from a wounded hand, bones of the
same having been splintered by a
rifle ball.

Alderman D. A. Peterson has re-
turned from Boone, Iowa, where his
father was buried. The elder Mr.
Peterson died while visiting a
daughter at White Bear.

If you want to make your friend
in camp happy, don't wait for Christ-
mas, send him something now. H.
W. Linnemann offers you many sug-
gestions for gifts. 139tf

A woman in police court this
morning was fined \$15 and costs for
taking away coal from Northern Pa-
cific property. The arrest was made
by Special Officer John Wilson.

E. C. Kane has moved his real es-
tate office from the First National
bank building to the Citizens State
bank building, room 215, formerly
occupied by D. C. Peacock. 126tf

Mrs. O. F. Specht, from Superior,
Wis., arrived today noon and is visit-
ing with her cousin, Mrs. Carl Zapfe.
Mrs. Specht will take part in the pro-
gram of the Brainerd Musical club
Saturday.

The Public Market wants more
onions, carrots and parsnips. The
fish sale was a success. Mr. Avery
of the fish commission was well
pleased and promises regular ship-
ments weekly or twice a week.

Overcoat days are here now. H.
W. Linnemann is the overcoat head-
quarters of Brainerd and many young
men, old men buy their clothing
there. You can be suited too. 139tf

Sergt. B. Murphy of the "Princess
Pat" regiment, was in the city and
said the Winnipeg Juveniles were
given a great reception at Little
Falls. They made a hit there as
they have done everywhere else.

Dispatch want ads are workers. At
small pay you can engage their ser-
vices, cent a word the first time, half
a cent a word thereafter. Telephone
the Dispatch, Northwest 74, or mail
your ad or have it sent to the office.

In accordance with the suggestion
of the United States Food Adminis-
tration, we have made a voluntary
agreement not to serve any meat for
lunches on Tuesdays and no wheat
bread for lunches on Wednesdays.—
Ericsson Bros. Bakery. 126tf

The new automobile licenses which
goes into effect Jan. 1, 1918, have
already been placed on sale and they
cost \$5.00 instead of \$1.50, the in-
crease being in keeping with the rise
in prices of luxuries as well as neces-
sities.

Every soldier should have one of
those leather photoholders at D. E.
Whitney's to carry the photograph of
his sweetheart and mother. 105tf

The Moose had a big meeting.
They gave \$10 to the Y. M. C. A.
war work fund. Sam Rosenzweig of
the Ransford hotel, member of the
Fargo Moose gave a talk on subscrib-
ing to the Liberty loan, Red Cross
and the Y. M. C. A. fund.

Thanksgiving day comes Thursday,
November 29. You will want to
dress up on that occasion when you
meet the home folks. See
the new overcoats, suits, furnishings
at H. W. Linnemann's. A large se-
lection to choose from. 139tf

The Elks initiated M. F. Crosby of
Crosby on Thursday evening. Mr.
Crosby left the northern part of the
state in the middle of his deer hunt
to be made an Elk and believes his
getting a pair of antlers will now
enable him to land a deer.

For a first class job of Oxy-Acety-
lene welding go to Herbert Peterson
at the Woodhead Motor Co. garage. 13tf

Leaving Brainerd Friday evening
for the Minnesota-Chicago football
game at Minneapolis will be a dele-
gation including Dick Johnson,
James Alderman, Giles P. O'Brien,
Sam English, Walter Koop, Harrison
B. Sherwood and Milton Mahlum.

CONGRESSMEN
UP IN AIR

Congressman Harold Knutson of
the Sixth district, visited constituents
in Brainerd and told of the time when
he was up in the air. It took place,
not in the halls of congress, but at
Minneapolis, Long Island, where the
legislator took passage in an air-
plane and ascended to 4,600 feet and
then spiralled down.

Mrs. A. W. Smith, who for the past
month has been visiting her sons,
Walter J. and J. R. Smith, in this
city, returned to Minneapolis today
where she will spend the winter
with her son I. N. and J. L. Smith.
In that city. Her son Walter J.
Smith, accompanied her to Minne-
apolis this afternoon.

This week at Carlson's, McDonald
Dress Shirts, Union Made, only \$1.05.
138tf

Edison Diamond Disc Phono-
graphs. Folsom Music Co. 139tf

Many Brainerd Knights of Colum-
bus members will attend the initia-
tory ceremonies at St. Cloud Sunday
when a large class will be given de-
grees. The Brainerd contingent will
be joined by the Knights of Columbus
members from Riverton, Crosby and
other range towns, all of whom will
motor to the Granite City.

Trays, art candle sticks, nut bowls,
and fruit bowls at D. E. Whitney's.
105tf

The attractive hand painted post-
ers advertising the "Panorama of
Palm Beach" to be produced at the
Brainerd opera house on Nov. 29th
and 30th, are the work of Mrs. Clyde
Parker. There is one in the window
of the J. F. Murphy store and one in
front of the Best theatre and they
are most artistic, and very good ad-
vertisers for the play.

"We will buy White Pine, Jack
Pine or Norway saw logs along the
bank of the Mississippi river, north
from Belle Prairie to Brainerd and
also on the Crow Wing river as far
north as Pillager or Motley. Those
desiring to bank logs on the river,
as stated above, will kindly take the
matter up with our office or with J.
A. Jones, Fort Ripley, or M. H. Mayo
Brainerd." Parker-Kellogg Lumber
Co., 1016-1047 Lumber Exchange,
Minneapolis, Minnesota. 132112

MORE-AMERICANS ARE KILLED

Die When German Shell Hits Squar-
ely In Trench.

American Field Headquarters, Nov.
16.—More Americans have been killed
and wounded in brisk fighting which
has broken out along the sector they
are holding against the Germans.

The American artillery is respond-
ing to the German fire and the ex-
changes of the guns are increasing
constantly.

Sniping is also increasing. One
American has fallen victim of a
German sniper. Sammies have been
potting at the Germans, but the toll
they have taken is not known.

The exact extent of the latest Amer-
ican casualties has not yet been
announced from headquarters. It is
known, however, that one German
shell hitting squarely in the Ameri-
can trenches wounded several.

Cut This Out—It is Worth Money.

Don't Miss This—Cut out this slip,
enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835
Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing
your name and address clearly. You
will receive in return a trial package
containing Foley's Honey and Tar
Compound for coughs, colds and
croup; Foley Kidney Pills and Foley
Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn,
druggist.—Adv.

Kellogg Denounces
Senator LaFollette
at Loyalty Meet

(By United Press)
St. Paul, Nov. 16.—At the big loy-
alty demonstration Senator Kellogg
denounced Senator LaFollette's anti-
war speech and said "Minnesota
needs no spur to her patriotism."

No Loss of Life
Petrograd, Moscow
up to Saturday

(By United Press)
London, Nov. 16.—Up to last Sat-
urday there had been no loss of life
at Petrograd and Moscow according
to messages received, the British em-
bassador reports.

Consider Russians
Peace Terms
Special Session

(By United Press)
Amsterdam, Nov. 15.—The German
independent socialists have asked a
special session of the reichstag to
consider the Russian peace terms.

U. S. MAY MANAGE WAR

Warning Given By Northcliffe To
British Premier.

Tells Him America Will Seize Reins
Unless Blunders
Cease.

London, Nov. 16.—The proffer of
the new air ministry made by Pre-
mier Lloyd George to Lord Northcliffe
has been refused by the latter.

In a long letter to the premier, Lord
Northcliffe explains that his refusal
of the portfolio is due to dissatisfac-
tion with some of the methods of Mr.
Lloyd George's administration, espe-
cially with regard to relations with
the United States, and says that Lord
Northcliffe's desire, therefore, is to
maintain an independent attitude.

Lord Northcliffe informed the prime
minister that unless there is a swift
improvement in the British methods,
the United States will rightly take
into its own hands the entire man-
agement of a great part of the war.
He stated that the United States will
not sacrifice its blood and treasure to
the incompetent handling of the
affairs of Europe.

NO GREAT DANGER IN IRELAND

Baron Wimborne Refuses to Share
Gloomy Anticipation.


London, Nov. 16.—Viscount Chaplin
in the House of Lords called atten-
tion to the grave situation in Ireland.
He referred especially to the Sinn
Fein campaign in favor of an in-
dependent republic. Baron Wimborne,
lord lieutenant of Ireland, said he did
not share Viscount Chaplin's gloomy
anticipations. Notwithstanding the in-
flamable material in Ireland, the
greatest danger to be apprehended was
the importation of arms or a hostile
landing. But he had been assured that
in view of the steps taken neither pos-
sibility was likely to arise.

Philadelphia Mayor Cleared of Plot
Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—Mayor Smith
was cleared of all connection with the
political conspiracy which resulted in
the killing of a policeman here on pri-
mary election day, in an opinion by
Judge Martin in quarter sessions
court.

"That Something New"

Pretty New Neckwear
Pretty New Waists
Pretty New Gloves

See Our Windows

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THE STORE OF QUALITY

**Present your Wife with
A New Range**

She's got a range? Of course, most folks have some sort of a cook
stove, but come in and look over our large line of Ranges. Your
wife's experienced eye will note many advantages.

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Young Hens.....18c

Little Pig Pork

Pork Shoulder22c
Pork Loin Roast.....28c

Good Bacon, only one ton left32c

We Deliver Anywhere in the City

TEXAS CAPITAL GOES "WET"

Majority Against Prohibition Is Sev-
enty-five.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 16.—Travis
county will remain in the "wet"
column as a result of the prohibition
election, the anti-prohibitionists win-
ning by a majority of 78 votes. Com-
plete figures show:
For prohibition, 3,193; against pro-
hibition, 3,271.

The wets carried the county by a
majority of three, and the city of
Austin, capital of the state, by 75
votes.

**BE PRETTY! TURN
GRAY HAIR DARK**

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite
Recipe of Sage Tea and
Sulphur.

Almost everyone knows that Sage
Tea and Sulphur, properly compound-
ed, brings back the natural color and
lustre to the hair when faded, streaked
or gray. Years ago the only way to
get this mixture was to make it at
home, which is messy and trouble-
some. Nowadays, by asking at any
drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and
Sulphur Compound," you will get a large
bottle of this famous old recipe, im-
proved by the addition of other in-
gredients, at a small cost.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one
can possibly tell that you darkened
your hair, as it does it so naturally
and evenly. You dampen a sponge or
soft brush with it and draw this
through your hair, taking one small
strand at a time; by morning the gray
hair disappears, and after another ap-
plication or two, your hair becomes
beautifully dark, glossy and attractive.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Com-
pound's a delightful toilet requisite
for those who desire dark hair and a
youthful appearance. It is not in-
tended for the cure, mitigation or pre-
vention of disease.

I build cement foundations, do mason
work, bricklaying, cement block
work and plastering.

WORK GUARANTEED
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DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

WOMAN'S REALM

Willow Plume in Every Woman's Life

BY MARGARET MASON.
(Written for the United Press)

The ostrich sticks his head in sand and thinks his camouflage just grand. But if he'd see some of his pluming when we have finished with its grooming. He'd really be forced to admission. His camouflage is naught to its own.

New York, Nov. 16.—According to Ellis Parker Butler "Pigs is Pigs," to Wordsworth's "Peter Bell," a yellow primrose was a yellow primrose and nothing more, but it would take weightier authority than either an author or a poet to convince even the ostrich itself that an ostrich feather is an ostrich feather these days.

Some years ago to take several layers of ostrich tail feathers, fasten them together in one bushy plume after dyeing them and curling the ends, was the acme of ostrich feather art.

Then along came the willow plume. This was knotty but nice with the extra fronds knotted on to the original fronds that sprouted from the central spine. Who hasn't proudly floated a ten inch willow plume in the breeze and complacently felt the height of sartorial perfection? There has been a willow plume in every woman's life as surely as there has been a yearning to be an actress and a trained nurse.

The willow plume has long since dropped out of the picture, and off the picture hat. Now, however, you can drag them forth from their dusty lairs in the attic or closet shelves and have the fronds sewed on a strip of silk tape for a band of trimming around the sleeves and skirt of a ravishing evening frock, or an irresistible negligee that will rival the thushly trimmed dance frock Julia Sanderson wears in "Rambler Rose" this season. Really nothing softer or more ethereally artistic for a dance frock trimming can be imagined than this feather fringe. It can't fail to tickle you.

The poor ostrich feather has gone through much since those happy willow days. Nothing like a few knots would matter to it now. It has been burned and treated with glycerine until it will never look the same. The glycerine ostrich feather looks not unlike numidie or aigrettes and successfully fills the places of the latter taboo feathers.

There is a long and ticklish process between the plain natural uncurled ostrich feather and the burned and glycerined one and no one but an expert would ever believe they sprouted from the same bird's tail. Both versions of the feathers are equally popular this season. Now let me give you a tip—an ostrich tip. Never part with any old plumes that are in your possession for numberless

are the dress trimmings and hat adornments that can be evolved from them no matter how moth-eaten they may appear to your inexperienced eye.

Take your accumulation to a feather expert and you will be glorified in feather fringed garments and feather fancies for your hats with some left over for the children till you will feel you have completely feathered your nest.

There is a movement on foot to do away with feather trimming altogether on hats. This is quite right of course in the case of the aigrettes and Paradise and any of those fragile feathers that a necessarily obtained by cruel means, but I feel sure ostrich feathers will continue to curl comfortably around our chapeaux even as they have for these many years since the dashing cavaliers and grenadiers wore them sweeping over their hat brims.

Fine feathers can't be blamed altogether on the fine ladies and you see as the aforesaid dashing cavaliers and a good many more male birds bear witness.

Tiny clusters of ostrich tips stuck in their velvet and brocade bonnets were much affected by those early earringed habitués of the Italian, Spanish and French courts and even much married and merry Hank the Eighth of England didn't spurn a tip or two.

The red men certainly set the feather fashions for America and Yankee Doodle helped along the style when he stuck a feather in his hat. Quills are very smart in hats these days, thrust through at some rakish angle that is sure to rake out an eye or two of some adjacent strap hanger in the subway. If you want to be very conserving these war times a quill lends itself to conservation beautifully. You can just use it for a pen six days in the week and stick it in your hat for Sunday.

In spite of the anti-feather crusade it would seem you really must show some feather in your hat these days to have real chic and any kind will do except the white feather.

SLEEVELESS JACKET

One pair celluloid needle, No. 5. Cast on 80 stitches loosely. Knit 2, purl 2 for 4 inches. Knit plain garter stitch until jacket measures 23 inches.

Knit 28 stitches, take them off on large safety pins. Slip and bind off 24 stitches loosely for neck.

Knit across remaining 28 stitches 14 rows, making 7 ribs, stop at neck. Take stitches off on pins, break off yarn.

Start at neck on the 28 stitches first taken off. Knit 14 rows. Cast on 24 stitches loosely.

Knit across 28 stitches on pins plain for 21 inches. Knit 2, purl 2 for 4 inches. Bind off loosely.

Sew up with yarn leaving 9 inches for arm hole. Crochet around neck and armhole plain once.

Knitted Wristlet No. 1, With Thumbhole

Two No. 3 celluloid needles or No. 10 steel. Cast on 52 stitches loosely. Knit 2, purl 2 for 12 inches. Bind off.

Sew up 7 inches, leaving 2 for thumb hole. Sew up three last inches. Buttonhole around thumb hole with yarn and darning needles.

Knitted Wristlet No. 2

Four No. 10 steel needles. Cast on 52. Knit 2, purl 2, knitting around like a sock for 7 inches.

Reverse, knit back and forth as if on 2 needles for 2 inches. Knit around for 3. Buttonhole thumb hole.

Ever Tried It? Half the excitement of being in love is trying to make the other person confess it while you assume a careless indifference.—Record.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

BRAINERD MUSICAL CLUB PROGRAM

Mrs. Carl Zapffe, Mrs. C. G. Nordin and Mrs. K. H. Hoorn Hostesses on Saturday

PROGRAM OF THE AFTERNOON

Soloists Include Mrs. O. G. Specht of Superior, Wis., and Miss Skauge of Brainerd

Mrs. Carl Zapffe, Mrs. C. G. Nordin and Mrs. K. H. Hoorn will be hostesses at the Brainerd Musical Club tomorrow afternoon, three o'clock at Elks Hall. The following program has been arranged:

1. Waltze Caprice D Flat, Opus 33.....Chaminade
2. Reading, "The Nightingale and the Rose".....Oscar Wilde
3. Reading, "When the Fleet Goes By".....Mrs. O. G. Specht

DORCAS SOCIETY

Swedish Bethany Young Peoples Society to Give Good Program Friday Evening

On Friday evening the Dorcas Young Peoples society of the Swedish Bethany church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Bredenberg, 1421 Oak St., S. E., at 8 o'clock sharp. Refreshments will be served and the following program will be given:

- Song.....Audience
- Scripture Reading and Prayer.....Harold Nelson
- Vocal Duet.....Esther Fogelstrom and Melville Bredenberg
- "Mocking Bird".....Victrola
- "Whispering Hope".....Victrola
- Piano solo.....Ebba Fredstrom
- Song.....Choir
- Prayer.....Rev. Theo. Clemens
- Everybody welcome.

RETURNS TO ILLINOIS

Miss McCague of Bromley Evangelistic Party, Leave Brainerd

The many friends of Miss McCague regret her departure, Tuesday morning, for her home at Auburn, Illinois. We are glad to learn Miss McCague is a native of Minnesota, her birthplace being Clear Lake, where her father, the late Dr. W. H. McCague, owned a summer residence, on the lake, their winter home being Minneapolis. It was through great difficulties Miss McCague went into evangelistic work, having been brought up in a home of luxury and surrounded by those things that fascinate and apparently satisfy the temporal desires.

It was the spring of her senior year in Northwestern University that she stepped out boldly, away from sorority life and other college tendencies and took a stand for Christ, in a church revival in Chicago, this being brought about through the untiring prayers of an earnest mother, who herself had been converted in a revival, a few years previous. Miss McCague felt her call for evangelistic, immediately and like Paul of old "was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision," but laying down all ambitions which she had had up to this time, made a complete consecration of everything that she held dear for her own worldly advancement.

It was while at Asbury College, she met Dr. Bromley and entered into campaign work, and in coming to Brainerd, by her gospel singing and personal work, has led many to turn their back on sin and live for the things that perish not and are eternal. Miss McCague is not only a vocalist but a dramatic reader, a pianist of skill and a composer, having been in concert work in the summers, previous to her conversion. She puts her whole soul into her work and one would think that she had made a life preparation for it alone and feels no sacrifice too great for her Lord in His work.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation Nov.—Adv.

Amusements

At the Best Monday and Tuesday

In "Magda," the new Select picture in which Clara Kimball Young is starring at the head of her own company, the famous screen actress achieves the triumph of her career. Playing the title role, she depicts the struggle of a girl forced to rebellion by the menace of an undesired marriage, and the subsequent events of the play move up to a vivid and compelling climax. This stage classic adapted to the screen will be shown next Monday and Tuesday at the Best theatre, and is the first of a series of eight pictures made by Miss Young, to be released during the coming year.

The action of the play is built about the clash of wills between a domineering father and his high strung, independent daughter. It is a striking exposition of the stupidity of a certain class of parents and Miss Young in her portrayal of the misunderstood and driven daughter makes a strong appeal to the sympathies.

Magda is her father's child. Of all his household she alone inherits his indomitable will and the fearlessness with which she opposes his wishes. When he orders her to marry the minister, she, with a young girl's romantic dreams of love, refuses to accede to his wishes, with the result that she is turned out of doors.

When she again flashes on her home town in the personality of Madeline Dall Orto, the world famous singer, feted by the governor and his officials, her father pompously agrees to forgive her. He insists, however, that she leave the hotel and live under his roof, Magda consents on condition that he ask her no question about her outside life.

The tenacity of the situation is tightened by the appearance at her father's home of Von Kellner, the man who was responsible for her betrayal after she had left the family shelter. Von Kellner who has risen to affluence and respectability learns for the first time that Magda had borne him a child. Her father coming in suddenly is made aware of their relation and in a towering rage threatens to challenge his daughter's betrayer.

How the tangled snarl of Magda's life is finally straightened by the removal of the domestic tyrant, and the way made clear for a continuance of her career, makes for an absorbing story and Miss Young's interpretation of the role more than fulfills the promise of her previous work.

At the Best Today and Tomorrow

The many admirers of Shirley Mason, Viola Dana's younger sister, will bear with delight that she is again starred in a five-reel feature from the Edison studios.

"The Apple-Tree Girl" is a story of more than ordinary charm and interest. The love appeal is sustained throughout and the plot culminates in a climax of real dramatic interest, with a happy and unexpected ending.

Ray McKee is making a name for himself as an actor of unusual versatility and he and Shirley Mason are excellent foils for each other in this play of modern times. At the Best theatre today and tomorrow.

At Empress Today and Tomorrow.

"Shall We Forgive Her" is the title of the new World-Picture Brady-Made which will be shown at the Empress theatre today and tomorrow with June Elvidge and Arthur Ashley as the stars. The drama is a film version of the famous stage play which was such a tremendous success in New York and other cities. It tells of the terrible experience of a confiding young girl who trusted to the good faith of a young scoundrel who played her false. Because she loved him she left her home and went west to meet him and when she got there he did not marry her as she had expected, but through a scheme forced her to stay with him. Later she saved the life of a prospector who had struck it rich in the gold fields and in return he promised her that whenever she needed a friend she had but to call on him. Still later when the girl had escaped from the man who had betrayed her she went east and there met a decent young chap who married her. But she did not tell him of the secret of the past. Then when it seemed as though she was going to lose her happiness when her husband discovered what had occurred out west, the miner whom she had befriended came to her aid in a most remarkable manner. Needless to say this production is replete with thrills and exciting incidents. It has been staged on an elaborate scale and the outdoor scenes are particularly interesting.

"Turn to the Right!"

The attendance during the engagement of "Turn to the Right!" at the Park opera house for one time, Sun-

IRONTON TO RAISE \$2,500

That is the Quota Asked of the Town in the Drive for Y. M. C. A. War Fund Work

PERSONNEL OF THE COMMITTEE

Catholic Bazaar Has Been Postponed on Account of the Sickness of Rev. Turbiaux

Ironton, Minn., Nov. 16.—Ironton has been asked to give \$2,500 towards the Y. M. C. A. war fund work. The committee named is Mining Superintendents Riley, Montgomery, Gavin, Letchel, Van Evers, MacKay, Pascoe. Others are E. A. Olson, Henry Tabert, D. B. McAlpine, A. C. Gilbertson, H. P. Armstrong, Gust Franson, R. B. Lundbohm, M. B. Ellingson, E. A. Lamb, Jr., and Joe Marcetich. The women members are Miss Anna Himrod, Mrs. Mulvaney, Mrs. McGuire, Miss Lysne, Mrs. J. H. Hill, Mrs. Bergh, Mrs. M. B. Ellingson, Mrs. Edward Syverson, Miss Lundeen, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. Vannett, Mrs. John Westcott, Mrs. McCoy, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Peck, Mary Peterson and Mrs. Wick.

Daniel Evelich, arrested on a charge of stealing a \$100 cow, escaped from a deputy at Brainerd and has not been located. He was on his way to the court house to plead.

A siren may be installed and used as a fire alarm.

The Mahlum Lumber company is constructing a lumber yard just east of the yards of the Power Lumber Co. Mrs. George Gehrmann lost a pocket book with \$250.

Emil Zontelli has finished grading two pieces of track, one into the Merritt mine and one to the timber shaft at the Croft.

Miss Ellen Dahl of Brainerd was the guest of Miss Esther Dahlstedt from Saturday to Tuesday.

The Catholic bazaar has been postponed on account of the illness of Rev. Father Turbiaux.

Tomlinson-Sramlin

A pretty little wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hughson in Melrose when their daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Hutchinson Tomlinson, and Paul Sramlin, were married at high noon, Nov. 11th. The bride wore a traveling dress of gray crepe de chine trimmed in Irish point lace, hat and gloves to match, and carried a bouquet of wedding roses.

Mr. Sramlin is a wealthy mining man, having large interests in California. The bride was a resident of Brainerd for many years. The last five years she made her home in the twin cities, where she became acquainted with Mr. Sramlin.

Many beautiful silver gifts were presented the bride. After a banquet was served, the happy couple left on the two-thirty p. m. train for their beautiful home in sunny California.

day, Dec. 9th, is expected to be in line with the record-breaking feats elsewhere of this splendid comedy-drama of tears and laughter, crooks, sweet women and peach jam. It established records for long runs in both New York and Chicago last season. Local play-goers are advised to obtain their seats well in advance.

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Grandmothers and mothers who have raised families of children have learned from experience that it pays to keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house ready for emergency. It gives prompt relief from dreaded croup attacks, checks coughs and colds, and relieves whooping cough. A safe medicine—no opiates. H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf

Hot Water for Sick Headaches

Tells why everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it before breakfast.

Headache of any kind, is caused by auto-intoxication—which means self poisoning. Liver and bowel poisons called toxins, sucked into the blood, through the lymph ducts, excite the heart which pumps the blood so fast that it congests in the smaller arteries and veins of the head producing violent, throbbing pain and distress, called headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish and miserable, your meals sour and almost nauseate you. Then you resort to acetanilide, aspirin or the bromides which temporarily relieve but do not rid the blood of these irritating toxins.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, drank before breakfast for awhile, will not only wash these poisons from your system and cure you of headache but will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary canal.

Ask your pharmacist for a quarter pound of limestone phosphate. It is inexpensive, harmless as sugar, and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant.

If you aren't feeling your best, if tongue is coated or you wake up with bad taste, foul breath or have colds, indigestion, biliousness, constipation or sour, acid stomach, begin the phosphate hot water cure to rid your system of toxins and poisons.

Results are quick and it is claimed that those who continue to flush out the stomach, liver and bowels every morning never have any headache or know a miserable moment.

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Your Flag and my Flag!
And, oh, how much it holds
Of your Land and my Land
Safe within its folds.
Your heart and my heart
Beat quicker at the sight;
Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,
The Red, the Blue and White!
The one Flag—the Great Flag—
The Flag for me and you—
Glorified the whole world wide—
The Red, the White, the Blue!

WHAT THE Y. M. C. A. WORK IS FOR

For the first time in history our country, in building its army, has made provisions at the very outset to turn the soldiers' leisure hours and the training camp environment into an asset instead of a liability.

Let us see to it that when our boys return from this war they will bear no other scars than those received in honorable warfare.

Let there be no unwritten casualty list for this American army.

The fund for protecting soldiers is not a sentimental fund. It is a war fund, not merely to make life easier, but to surround the soldier with needs that make for 100 per cent efficiency.

Do you have to look death in the face to appreciate the value of human life? Think of those clean, strong, youngsters going over the top. Your dollars will give them a better chance to win. Your money will insure them the health, the strength, the morale, that bring the quickest victory and cost the fewest lives.

In every camp there are Y. M. C. A. clubhouses, at least one for a brigade and often one for a regiment. They are out-and-out clubhouses, open to all soldiers alike. Roman Catholic masses have often been held in Y. M. C. A. camp buildings, followed by the Protestant service. The Hebrews are now installing desks in their own quarters within the Y. M. C. A. buildings. In fact, the Hebrews are particularly earnest supporters of the Soldiers' Y. M. C. A. The Knights of Columbus, likewise, open their doors to all.

There are now 429 Y. M. C. A. centers in France; 47 in Mesopotamia; 45 in India; 35 at Salonika; 58 in Egypt or Palestine; 1,000 in the British Isles; 200 at the training camps in the U. S.; one at every important naval base at home and abroad.

Optimistic Thought.
Purity is the feminine, truth the masculine, of honor.

With the Fingers!
Says Corns Lift Out
Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply directly upon the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

It is claimed that at small cost one can get a quarter of an ounce of freezone at any drug store, which is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound, and while sticky, dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue.
This announcement will interest many women here, for it is said that the present high-heel footwear is putting corns on, practically every woman's feet.

PLAN TO PROVIDE FLEET QUICKLY

Edison and Ford Would Equip All Sailing Vessels With Twin Screws.

AUTO PLANT TENDERED

Suggestion To Be Tried Out at Once By Shipping Board—Would Have Fleet in Thirty Days.

Washington, Nov. 16.—(Suggestion) to provide an emergency fleet of steamers almost overnight has been made to the shipping board by Thomas A. Edison, chairman of the Naval Consulting board, and Henry Ford.

They called upon Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the board.
Mr. Edison suggested that the government take over all the American sailing vessels afloat today and convert them into twin-screw ships, wherever practical. There had been some criticism previously against such action, it being maintained that in installing single screws the vibration would be so great that the vessels would be shaken to pieces.

Edison Offers Solution.

Mr. Edison's suggestion was a simple solution of the difficulty—the twin screws. He explained that these could be so placed as to neutralize the effects of the vibration. It was said many of the ships could be converted probably in as short a time as 30 days from the time they were taken over. Such a move would provide a large fleet for the country, it was pointed out; many of the ships being put into service even before the ships now being built by the Emergency Fleet corporation.

There are innumerable vessels of 700 to 1,500 tons that could be made into steamships with little effort. They could be given a speed of more than 10 and 12 knots, and many of them even made as fast as 20 knot boats, which would insure them practical immunity from submarines. The slower vessels would be converted more closely, of course, it was explained.

Ford Tenders Plan.

Mr. Ford offered to turn his automobile plant over to the use of the Shipping board in any capacity that was seen fit.

Both of the offers were taken under advisement by Mr. Hurley. The Shipping board will conduct experiments immediately along the lines suggested by Mr. Edison and will figure out just in what line Mr. Ford's offer can be used to best advantage.

GOVERNMENT LOAN TO ROADS

Strongly Urged by Pennsylvania Railroad Official.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The question of the government loaning money to the railroads was brought forward the first time officially at the cross-examination of Eastern railroad officials in the 15 per cent advance rate case before the Interstate Commerce commission.

Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, said he believed government loans should be seriously considered and later Clifford Thorne, counsel for many important shippers, stated he believed it the proper solution for the railroad situation. Mr. Rea testified, however, that should the money be forthcoming from the government it ought not to affect the proposed freight increase, while shippers' counsel believed the plan should be made effective in lieu of the rate increase.

VILLA AFTER JAUREZ NEXT

Then Wants Chihuahua City For His Capital.

Presideo, Texas, Nov. 16.—Jaurez is Francisco Villa's next border objective, after which a general attack on Chihuahua City, the state capital, is planned, according to plans revealed by Villa leaders in the Ojinaga garrison.

The capital of the new movement headed by Villa is to be established at Chihuahua City, according to this plan. The movement is a new one, having no connection with the Felix Diaz or other revolutionary movements, according to General Porfirio Ornelas, permanent commander of the Ojinaga garrison.

Luxburg Back to Detention Camp.
Buenos Aires, Nov. 16.—Count von Luxburg, former German minister to Argentina, has been taken back to a detention camp on the island of Martin Garcia. The former minister was brought to Buenos Aires and it was presumed that he was to sail on a Dutch liner on his way to Germany.

First U. S. Army Nurse Dies in France
Washington, Nov. 16.—The first United States army nurse to die in France is Miriam E. Knowles of Yardley, Pa., whose death Nov. 11, of scarlet fever, has been cabled by General Pershing.

Trying to Get Russian Sugar Released
New York, Nov. 16.—Steps to release 20,000,000 pounds of refined sugar, held here for the Russian government, have been taken by Arthur Williams, food administrator for New York city.

CROSBY MEN IN Y. M. C. A. DRIVE

W. C. Deering, Chairman, With Associates Numbering Eighteen, Good Results Expected

HOME GUARDS TO GIVE DANCE

1,000 Handkerchiefs Given to Red Cross, Crosby Teachers at Minneapolis Meeting

Crosby, Minn., Nov. 15.—The Crosby committee in charge of the Y. M. C. A. drive includes Chairman W. C. Deering and his associates Louis Bauer, L. C. David, W. Van Evera, Walter Gulgren, B. A. Barker, Ed Folio, Wm. Peterson, H. L. Nicholson, E. B. Brown, P. N. Haughtelin, A. J. McLennan, F. A. Lindbergh, Ed Krueger, R. L. Wahl, H. Almquist, George E. Bodin, M. G. Randolph, O. E. Saxhaug.

Rev. Father Quillen of Cass Lake visited in Crosby.

D. R. Hillis is hunting deer north of Roseberg.

George Thorpe has bought the Gaylord residence at Crosby Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hinkle are occupying their new home on Main street.

Miss Christine Peterson, formerly in charge of the cigar stand at the Ransford hotel in Brainerd, has resigned her position and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Peterson of Crosby Beach.

Wm. Petrabor and Earl Dawson have joined the aviation corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Will S. Pitt will spend the winter in Oelwein, Iowa.

The Swedish Lutheran Aid society will hold a food and auction sale at the armory on November 22.

The Home Guards will give a dance on December 7th.

A Halloween party given by Bruce Hayes and Willis Krueger in Odd Fellows hall was attended by some thirty young people.

A most generous response was made to the call for handkerchiefs by the Red Cross for the soldiers. Over 1,000 were contributed.

Crosby teachers who attended the Minnesota Educational Association at Minneapolis were the Misses Helen Conlon, Hazel Shellenberger, Alma Johnson and June Ames and G. E. Bodin, G. W. Aakvik, G. H. Reed, Supt. P. N. Haughtelin, O. E. Saxhaug, F. T. Heinemann and G. E. Nelson.

A dance was given Friday evening for the benefit of the high school athletic association.

BARROWS ITEMS

News of Town on South Range, Happenings of Barrows People

Barrows, Minn., Nov. 16.—Kernit Bailey was in Brainerd Friday.

H. A. Peterson was in Crow Wing Monday.

Mrs. J. Gilles and daughter Eleanor were shopping in Brainerd.

H. A. Peterson and Fred Klasey were Brainerd visitors.

Levi Bailey of Crow Wing was in town Saturday.

Miss Robert Ludlow and daughter Miss Sadie Davis, were visiting in Brainerd.

Dan Nichols is working at George Wetherbee's farm.

Elmer Peterson, Kernit Bailey and Irving Dahljen were in Brainerd Saturday.

Man Troubled For Two Years

No one should suffer backache, rheumatic pains, stiff joints, swollen, sore muscles, when relief can be easily had. James McCreary, Berlin Center, Mich., says he was troubled with kidney and bladder trouble for two years. He used several kinds of medicine without relief, but Foley Pills cured him. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

READ THE DISPATCH WANT ADS

RED CROSS BRANCH FORMED

Women of Riverton Send in Petition to Have Branch Organized in Their Town

Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN WAR FUND

Schools Crowded and Additional Room Needed, Miss Vivian Stearns Entertains at Cards

Riverton, Minn., Nov. 16.—Not to be outdone by the women of the neighboring towns, the women of Riverton have sent in a petition to have a Red Cross branch organized here. A campaign for the Y. M. C. A. is being planned.

The Catholic ladies are advertising a card party to take place at the Webster hotel Saturday night. The receipts will go into the church building fund.

The schools have become so crowded that an additional room had to be procured. The William building has been leased by the board and Miss Agnes Bentley of Ortonville, Minn., has been engaged to teach the class, which is in the kindergarten.

The Riverton young people have arranged for several parties and dances for the coming winter.

Miss Vivian Stearns entertained Tuesday night at cards, about twelve being present. Five hundred was played, after which a dainty luncheon was served.

P. F. Sullivan went to Duluth Thursday on business.

The pump in the shaft at the Rowe mine broke and the mine became flooded. It is thought that it will be in shape for the men to resume work by the first of the week.

SAYS GOD'S AID NEEDED

Kaiser Asserts That U-Boats Subdue Allies.

Asserts Ruthless Warfare Will Be Continued Until Enemy Is Vanquished.

Amsterdam, Nov. 16.—According to a Berlin dispatch, the German emperor in addressing the U-boat crews in the Adriatic and referring to the development of the submarines said that a voyage of three or four days now was an every-day occurrence and declared that the development of the U-boats had not reached its highest point. He expressed gratification at the amount of tonnage sunk in the Mediterranean, which he said, showed that the U-boats had fulfilled what had been expected of them. Submarine warfare would have a decisive part in the final outcome of the war, the emperor declared and would not be stopped until the enemy was vanquished.

The emperor concluded: "I am certain that our submarines will never rest until the enemy is subdued. But for this we need, as well as the power of man and aid of God."

CLEMENCEAU IS PREMIER

Again Accepts Task of Forming French Cabinet.

Paris, Nov. 16.—Former Premier Georges Clemenceau has agreed to form a new cabinet.

Clemenceau, for many years one of the most powerful figures in French public life, instituted a campaign against German propaganda in France, and it was largely on that issue that the Poincare cabinet fell.

The "tiger," as he is nicknamed, is known as an exponent of the big stick, and it has been prophesied that if he should be appointed premier he would stamp out Bolshevism radically and rapidly.

Essentials of Happiness.

"The grand essentials of happiness are something to do, something to love and something to hope for."—Chalmers.

ENEMY HURLED BACK BY BRITISH

Troops Sent to Retake Passchendaele Slaughtered by Barrage Fire.

ADMIT LOSS IS HEAVY

Captured German Officers Give Information—Crown Prince Directs Assault—Fight at Close Quarters Favors Allies.

London, Nov. 16.—The Italians are holding the enemy everywhere along the battle front, except in the hilly region in the vicinity of Asiago plateau, where additional gains have been made by the invaders.

With the British Army in Belgium, Nov. 16.—(By the Associated Press).—The forces of Crown Prince Ruprecht of Bavaria have made their first pretentious effort to regain Passchendaele village, the gem of their defenses, in accordance with Field Marshal von Hindenburg's dict that the place should be recaptured, and have failed.

The enemy's attack, north of the hamlet, was attempted with large forces and was a most determined effort, but the assaulting troops were hurled back after a grim struggle leaving the British line intact.

Plow Through Barrage.

The greater part of the enemy in fantry was stopped by the tremendous British artillery barrage, which plowed through their ranks as they began the advance. But some of them, answering to that famous discipline, pushed through this rain of death and reached the British front line.

A sanguinary struggle followed at close quarters. The British soldiers flung themselves upon the stubborn enemy with such ferocity that he was compelled to give ground and finally retire, leaving many dead.

Loss Considered Serious.

The attack was prefaced by a terrific bombardment. The German guns opened on the right early in the morning. The British had been expecting the counter-attack for several days. Captured German officers had admitted that the loss of Passchendaele was regarded as a serious matter, and that every effort would be made to retake it.

Sound Heard 75 Miles.

All day the German artillery shelled Passchendaele and the forward area, while the British heavies and field guns replied with a violent bombardment. No such artillery duel had occurred along the British front in many weeks. For hours it was maintained by both sides with a drumfire that shook the country for miles about. Windows in houses 50 miles away rattled, and in a town 75 miles from the scene the detonations could plainly be heard.

30 MORE JOIN HUNGER STRIKE

Militant Suffragettes in Prison Emulate Miss Alice Paul.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The Woman's party headquarters announces that the 30 women sent to the district workhouse for displaying banners before the White House had joined Miss Alice Paul in her hunger strike for treatment of the militants as political prisoners. Twenty-eight of the prisoners will be brought out of the workhouse at once to be tried for their demonstrations. Among the hunger strikers is Mrs. I. H. Short of Minneapolis.

PLANNED TROOP TRAIN WRECK

Warning of I. W. W. Program Given Officials.

Tulsa, Okla., Nov. 16.—Plots to wreck troop trains, assassinate certain county officials and members of the draft board, burn cotton gins and railroad depots were hatched at a meeting of I. W. W. leaders at Muskogee, the scene of the Working Class union rebellion last summer, according to a warning received by Tulsa officials from the sheriff of Pontotoc county. The warning was received by Sheriff Duncan of Ada from one who said he had been a member, but had determined to "quit the gang for good and get out of the country."

Express Companies Ask Rate Increase

Washington, Nov. 16.—The leading express companies have filed application with the Interstate Commerce commission for a flat increase of 10 per cent in all rates. The Adams, American, Wells-Fargo and Southern Express companies, who joined in making the plea, complained of insufficient revenues and increasing expenses.

Discuss Profit on Meat.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Joseph P. Cotton, head of the meat committee of the federal food administration, is still trying to arrive at a schedule of fair profits for packers. The conference of the meat committee, the Federal Trade commission and the packers' committee was "not successful." This was the statement of a member of the meat committee. Cotton, however, refused to comment. Federal Trade commissioners and the meat commission were in executive session later.

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Your Pleasure is Always Assured Here

Today
—AND—
Tomorrow

June Elvidge and Arthur Ashley in

"Shall We Forgive Her"

From the Famous Play by Charles Sarver

Your attention is riveted on this production at the first flash on the screen. Not for a single moment does the interest lag. You will like this attraction immensely.

Today
—AND—
Tomorrow

Shirley Mason in

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Also

"Camp Dodge Weekly"

The Best Theatre

Photoplays That Please All The Time

SUNDAY— Wm. Desmond in "MASTER OF HIS HOME"
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Advertising cannot accomplish the impossible any more than barren ground can yield rich crop.

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In this fertile field then sow the seed of advertising and it will bring forth abundant crops in increased business and augmented prestige.

Your store news in the Dispatch will be read in practically every home in Brainerd and vicinity every evening.

We Lose Money--You Lose Money

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AT THE BEST THEATRE MONDAY AND TUESDAY, NOV. 19th and 20.

MANY TO THE LOYALTY MEET

Brainerd Delegation to Wear Appropriate Badges Advertising Brainerd and Gathering

HEADED BY MAYOR R. A. BEISE

Crosby, Ironton, Riverton and Other Range Points to be Represented by Contingent

Crow Wing county will be well represented at the Northwest Loyalty meetings in St. Paul and Minneapolis today and Saturday.

Mayor R. A. Beise, R. R. Wise, Representative H. A. Swanson, Dr. J. A. Thabes and son John, R. M. Sheets, M. K. Swartz and Giles O'Brien of this city, left today, and a number are planning on going down tomorrow morning.

Crosby and the range towns will send about 25 delegates, wearing appropriate badges and the Brainerd contingent was supplied with badges bearing the words: "I am from Brainerd and Loyal to the Government." A delegate to the N. W. Patriotic Meetings Nov. 16-17.

A big parade was to be held in St. Paul this afternoon and the addresses will be made at the auditorium. Tomorrow Minneapolis will entertain the visitors.

ATTENTION

The following members of the Y. M. C. A. War Fund committee are requested to meet this evening:

B. L. Lagerquist, H. W. Linne-mann, F. H. Simpson, H. A. Kaatz, Ed Crust, J. P. Anderson, Wm. McCloskey, Geo. Berggreen, Andrew Anderson, W. A. M. Johnstone, G. D. La-Bar, W. C. Cobb, G. P. O'Brien, J. J. Nelson, Thomas Johnson, R. B. Withington, Carl Zapffe.

ROLL OF HONOR

Young Bill Evans and Phinney Hall are now in France.

Quite a number of Crow Wing county boys at Camp Dodge are home on short furloughs.

Frank Payne of 220 North Ninth street, has a brother in the 10th engineering corps now serving in France.

Ira Roderick of Camp Lewis, Washington, has been transferred to New York.

Large numbers of Camp Dodge boys are receiving short furloughs. Soldier boys from the cantonment seen in town include Ray Hall, Axel Anderson, Chris Peterson, Joe Lundgren, Henry Fleischacker.

A party was given in honor of George Hanson at the small K. C. hall last night. Thirty couples were present. Mr. Hanson is soon to join the colors. The evening's amusements included a luncheon, dancing and a social hour.

Other Camp Dodge boys in the city are Mandle Magnan of St. Mathias, Herbert Rouse, Chester Dewing, Clifford Wheeler.

OILER MEETS MORE SUCCESS

Local Business Man Interested in Invention that is Getting Much Favorable Comment

The Pillager Herald contains the following regarding an invention which Henry I. Cohen, of this city, is financially interested in:

S. E. and Geo. Parks, inventors of the new car oiler which has been receiving so much publicity of late, returned last week from Hudson, Wis., when the Omaha road had been making experiments with their new device. Two boxes on a mail car were equipped and at the end of a 335 mile run the two boxes equipped with the Parks oiler were the coolest on the car. Railroad men were high in their praise of the attachment, and a Mr. Thorn, master car builder of the Omaha on that division, and a Mr. Martin of the S. O. road, both purchased several shares of stock in the new corporation. As soon as arrangements can be made for manufacture, the Omaha will place a large order for the oilers to equip their cars and locomotives.

Payments are Due

The payment of 18 per cent on the second Liberty Loan bonds, government plan, was due November 15. Purchasers of these bonds who have not already made their payments should make them at once at the different banks where they have placed their subscriptions.

NOTICE U. C. T.

Business of importance, which is of interest to each member, will be taken up at the regular meeting in Elks hall Saturday evening, Nov. 17. Be there. Signed, G. W. MAHOOD, Sec'y.

GAME WARDEN GETS NETS

Peter Cardle is Busy Rounding up the Fellows Who Are Netting Fish Contrary to Law

Game Warden Cardle is making a nice collection of fish nets these days having taken eight nets from fishermen within the last few days. At the upper end of Gull lake eight nets were hauled a few days ago that exceeded the limit, the law specifying that a net three foot in depth is the largest that can be used in taking whitefish.

Yesterday he arrested three men at Whitefish lake and took their entire outfit consisting of four nets, two guns, tent and other things. The men were taken before Judge Hohman at Pequot, plead guilty and paid their fines, the names of the men being Albert Towne, Andrew Binling and Herman Mattila, all of Menahga.

BUSH & BENDER AT THE TRAPS

Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—With the baseball season over and the paraphernalia stowed away for the winter the knights of the diamond show interest in other pastimes. The great majority of major league ball players devote that off season to recreation as they see fit—for to them baseball is work.

A great many of the star ball tossers of the American and National leagues are excellent shots with the trapgun, and devote considerable time to shooting in the field and at the traps during the five months that the pay check doesn't flitter in with their mail.

"Chief" Bender, whose remarkable pitching with the Phillies the past season is still the sensation wherever baseball is discussed, is one of the best trapshots in the dear old land of ours and the Chippewa may be located at the Beideman club traps in Camden, N. J., several afternoons each week.

Bender, with Harry Davis, captain of the Athletics; Christy Mathewson, manager of the Cincinnati Reds, and Otis Crandall, now hurling in the Pacific Coast league, toured the country several years ago as a trapshooting squad, and their performances awakened interest of other ball players to the sport.

Joe Bush, the veteran hurler of the Mackmen, is another, and is quite at home at the traps or in the field. He is just as good a shooter as he is a pitcher—and he is a mighty good pitcher.

GETTING NEAR \$300

Daily Dispatch Tobacco Fund Continues to Carry Cheer to the Soldiers at Front

The Daily Dispatch Tobacco Fund continues to carry its good cheer to the soldiers at the front in France. More boys from Brainerd are reported in the trenches there. The fund, thanks to the patriotic spirit of Brainerd people and the farmers of the vicinity has now climbed close to \$300.

"It's a long time between letters," writes one soldier from France, "and often a long time between smokes." Almost every letter to relatives from their books at the front carries this same message—the need for cigarettes and all kinds of smoking materials.

Of course, there is tobacco in France, but our boys have not yet, and probably never will, learn how to get any satisfaction out of the French, curly kind of tobacco—it seems to bite their tongues and leave them more hungry for the real good old-fashioned kind they used to enjoy back home.

Twenty-five cents is not much. And when you stop to think that each quarter you give towards our Tobacco Fund buys just twice that amount of good smoking material for some soldier, it is really mighty little to give. He gets two sacks of Lucky Strike cigarettes, three sacks of Bull Durham and a tin of Tuxedo.

Every Tobacco Kit, besides, has packed in it a stamped postal card, which will bear the name of the giver. On this card you will receive the soldier's message of thanks direct from the war zone, and, perhaps, straight from a front line trench. DAILY DISPATCH TOBACCO FUND. Previously acknowledged.....\$296.25 Elmer Fogelson, Walker Bk. 1.00 Frank Payne, 220 N. 9th St. .50

Complaint Almost Gone

"Foley's Honey and Tar is great," writes L. W. Day, 65 Campbell Ave., E., Detroit, Mich. "It relieves bronchitis quickly. My complaint has almost gone and I hope never to have it again." Time and the experience of thousands have proved that there is no better medicine for coughs, colds or croup. Get the genuine. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

SURPRISED ON HIS BIRTHDAY

Congregation of Swedish Lutheran Church Presents Purse to Rev. Elof G. Carlson

GIVEN BIG BIRTHDAY CAKE

Addresses Made by G. S. Swanson, Supt. W. C. Cobb, Paper Read by Miss Agnes Sundine

Rev. Elof G. Carlson, pastor of the Swedish Methodist church, was given a most pleasant surprise party on the occasion of his 36th birthday and presented with a well filled purse. The members of the congregation gathered at the church parlors and one was sent to the parsonage to tell him that there was something wrong with the furnace. He entered the room and was greeted with applause.

Attorney G. S. Swanson made the presentation speech. The occasion also marked the sixth year of the pastorate of Rev. Carlson. He and his estimable wife have endeared themselves to the congregation.

Refreshments were served and a center piece on the table was a huge birthday cake resplendent with 36 candles. Rev. Carlson responded as well as he could to the address of Mr. Swanson. Miss Agnes Sundine read a paper on the pleasant relationship existing between congregation ship existing between congregations.

BIG DIVIDENDS BOOSTING Y. M. C. A.

Every dollar put into the work the Y. M. C. A. is doing, during this war, is going to get tremendous dividends, not only while the fight is going on, but in that precarious period—when the boys come home.

It is going to make the difference between a happy, singing, contented army and a depressed, homesick and listless one. It is going to mean the difference between a clear-eyed, self-respecting body of men and—the other kind.

By Christmas many an American may be in a German prison; by Easter, perhaps thousands more. But thanks to the Y. M. C. A.! When we were still neutral, they looked after Germany's prisoners in France, as well as the French prisoners in Germany. So Germany, for fear of losing this help, will permit the American Y. M. C. A. in German prison camps. There will be no starving of American prisoners, for the Y. M. C. A. will feed them with food imported from America. There will be proper housing, proper clothing, proper sanitation, and proper medical care. And the Americans will come back home well, sound, ready for work. A wonderful, epoch-making war work.

You see what our boys would be up against if it weren't for the work the Y. M. C. A. is rendering. A place to meet, a place to write, a place for wife and mother and sister to come, a place for song, and story, and mutual admiration—no other country in the world has ever done anything like it. And we never did before.

What would these boys be doing if they couldn't have a place like this to work off their high pressure of spirits? Where could they go? It is true that a camp may be several miles removed from what are commonly believed to be the temptations of a division of army recruits. But this won't be forever. Then what? It seems that the Y. M. C. A. is working along the only possible lines. Recognizing that these fellows are under high pressure, unrestrained by home conventions, limited as to enjoyments, the association is trying to fill a place in army life that has never been filled before.

Good amusements, red-blooded fun, noise, song, books for those who want them, assistance in the thousands and one avenue that cannot be provided by the War Department, though it may see the need for them, and above all, an unobtrusive and non-intrusive and nonsectarian interest in the spiritual welfare of the country's young men.

WHAT A LOST SLICE MEANS

Few of us realize what the wasting of one slice of bread a day by each family in the country would mean. The figures are astounding. If one slice is wasted in each of the twenty million families it means a loss of fourteen million ounces of bread food or 875,000 pounds a day. This means 219,000,000 pounds or a million and a half barrels of wheat flour or 365,000,000 loaves of bread, a waste of seven million bushels of wheat. Save that slice.

\$3,000 MARK HAS BEEN ATTAINED

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ings than this fellow and should, therefore, be eager to give until it hurts to provide just such treats to our fighting brethren.

Yesterday solicitors were not much in evidence. Being pay-day everybody, it seems, was busy or tied down; however, the special committee out after the larger subscriptions met with success and landed a few good ones. R. R. Wise stepped into the front ranks today and duplicated Mr. LaBar's offer of \$100 and \$200 if the \$3,000 mark is reached. The committee finds that there are some men who prefer to spend several days arguing why they should not contribute what is asked for when they can and should give even more. One wonders why argument is necessary at all. They finish by donating not what was expected of them.

Farmer's Liberality
A farmer stepped into the bank on business but was asked how his district was coming along in the drive. Not knowing what was being referred to he offered \$25.00 to be informed. There is a sample for you of the cheerful giver.

Message Brought Home
The message is being brought home to Brainerd and emphasis laid upon the vital needs of the Y. M. C. A. in order that this splendid work may be continued. Letters to individuals from men now at the front tell what the Y. M. C. A. but means to them and how the boys appreciate it.

Soldiers, home on a furlough, are loud in their praises of it and of what it means to them, speakers well versed on the subject are making it plain to the public that they must get out of a selfish rut and do their bit in this movement. There is no excuse for anyone to say, "I do not understand the plan"—it has been made very plain to all and the one who is able and does not give his mite to the fund can not be listed among the great army of American patriots who are left behind but who are willing to contribute their share to winning the war in money rather than in hardships, suffering and perhaps their lives.

Everyone must rally to the cause today and tomorrow and early next week in order to put Brainerd in the front ranks where she has always stood and where she belongs. And Brainerd people will do this—the signs of the times point conclusively to it.

DIED OF HEART DISEASE

Mrs. Minnie Lectoudt, Widow of Ross Lake, Passed Away at Her Home

Mrs. Minnie Lectoudt, a widow of Ross Lake, died suddenly at the home of her two sons, Deputy Coroner Nell O'Brien, called from Brainerd, pronounced it a death from natural causes. He motored to the home by way of Cuyuna and Aitkin and found the roads very rough.

\$25.00 REWARD

Twenty-five dollars reward will be paid for information causing the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who burglarized my residence in West Brainerd on or about Nov. 7th. C. W. HILTON.

BRAINERD'S ODDEST STORIES OF TODAY

Everything has its funny side and one has developed from making up committees from directories. The north side list of Y. M. C. A. solicitors selected from the directory, drafted to serve without excuse, names of four dead men, said a local undertaker. They include, said he, M. Miller killed in the auto accident when Bush drove his Philadelphia car near Broadway and Front streets; J. F. Smith, N. H. Frazier who died in 1914 and Pat Lynch. Every committee man is on his toes pushing the Y. M. C. A. war fund campaign and the only "dead" ones known are the four just enumerated.

Brainerd's first experience with a state supplied fish market was a success. The Brainerd Public Market has developed a new product in Brainerd, the man shopper and a lot of them were on hand buying white fish and tullipies.

E. G. Boyd has returned from Fergus Falls where he attended court. This Sunday Officer Boyd and Officer J. J. Crowell will go out to Isle on Mille Lake lake where they will smoke Kinkinnick and enjoy life among the savages.



Plenty of Beautiful Coats

We will be able to show the Saturday purchaser an assortment of beautiful coats. We have provided that you'll find representative coats no matter what time in the season you may come.

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A Dollar's Worth of Value for Every Dollar You Pay

THAT'S what you get when you buy one of these new suits or overcoats.

They will give you more style, better fit, fabrics and tailoring—more real clothes comfort and satisfaction—than you can get elsewhere at the price.

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are worn by men and young men who are good judges of clothes, who demand correct style materials of value, careful tailoring.

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John Carlson & Son



WRESTLING MATCH

L. W. Carson, Former Indian Agent, to Meet Karhunaari in Brainerd Nov. 26

L. W. Carson, former well known government Indian agent and a detective of wide experience and well developed athlete of Little Falls, will wrestle Karhunaari, Finnish champion of Brainerd, at Brainerd November 26, for 40-60 per cent division of the gate receipts.

Karhunaari never stalls and has never laid down in any of his matches. Carson aims to throw his man in each match and has a large string of victories to his credit. He is slightly taller than Karhunaari and has greater leg development. Paved of Little Falls will challenge the winner of the Brainerd contest.

Little Ones and Old Ones

James Edwards, 208 Harriett St., Montgomery, Ala., writes: "My whole family is using Foley's Honey and Tar Compound now—the little ones and the old ones. It has cured our coughs and broken our colds." Foley's Honey and Tar clears stopped air passages, heals raw inflamed membranes, removes phlegm and eases sore chest. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

FOLEY'S URINO LAXATIVE
FOR STOMACH TROUBLE AND CONSTIPATION

BIG SALE

Is Still on at
Cash & Carry Meat Market

219 So. 6th St., Brainerd

"Potter's Field."

"Potter's field," the graveyard in which are buried those who are interred at public expense, comes by its name legitimately. In England and the continent the clay used to make pottery was dug up in long trenches, which were left unfilled. Common consent soon made it possible for these unsightly stretches of ground to be put to the useful purpose of interring the bodies of those who were cared for as a charge upon the country.

In Sanitarium Three Weeks

Splendid results in kidney and bladder troubles are achieved by Foley Kidney Pills. Mrs. Effie Kleppe, Averbil, Minn., writes: "I was at Fargo sanitarium three weeks for rheumatism and kidney trouble; got no relief. I began using Foley Kidney Pills and found immediate relief. A bottle completed the cure." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

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WANTED—Kitchen girl for day work at West's restaurant. 1301f

WANTED—Woman for cleaning purposes. Inquire Iron Exchange Hotel. 1735-1391f

WANTED—An experienced waitress, \$25.00 month. Apply at the Spina Hotel, Ironton, Minn. 1743-14113

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four furnished rooms. 601 2nd Ave. 1729-1371f

FOR RENT—Three rooms upstairs. 1607 Norwood St. 1747-14113

FOR RENT—Five room furnished house. 604 Oak street N. E. 1685-1271f

FOR RENT—Modern, steam-heated house. Call Sherlund garage. 1717-1341f

FOR RENT—Steam heated flats with baths. Cale Block. E. C. Bane. 1622-1161f

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. 511 Norwood. 1738-14013p

FOR RENT—Furnished room, suitable for two gentlemen. 220 N. Broadway. 1691-1281f

FOR RENT—Unfurnished downstairs rooms for light housekeeping. 422 North Seventh St. 1741-14013p

FOR RENT—8 room house corner Oak and Ninth, South Side. Call 516 South Eighth. 1739-14013p

FOR SALE—One No. 7 Radiant Home hard coal burner. H. W. Linnemann. Inquire at store. 1748-1411f

FOR SALE—Ice cream tables and chairs. Bargain if taken at once. Kenneth McDonald confectionery store. 1744-14113

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 1916 Overland touring car, or will trade for realty property. C. B. Harris. 703 7th St. S. 1745-1411-?

FOR RENT—Dwelling house furnished, at 5th and Norwood. Address P. E. McCabe, Care C. J. O'Connell's Laboratory, Crosby. 1725-1361f

FOR RENT—6 room furnished house 607 South 9th St., 1612 5 and 8 room houses near paper mill, \$19. 5 rooms north Broadway, \$12.50. 10 rooms 206 Kingwood street, \$25. Nettleton. 1736-13913

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Autos and trailers. Albert Angel. 1658-12312p

MILK FOR SALE—Call 433-J Tri-State, or call 1107 East Norwood. 1740-14013

FOR SALE—5 passenger touring car. Telephone Northwest 312-R, or Tri-State. R. W. Bush. 1732-13813p

FOR SALE—Overland car with U. S. tires, good as new, in A1 condition. A bargain, \$175. Address 213 Fourth Avenue N. E. or Phone 723M3. 1737-14016

FOR SALE—One No. 7 Radiant Home hard coal burner and one Round Oak heater. H. W. Linnemann. Inquire at store. 1699-1201f

FOR SALE—Pure bred big-bone Poland China pigs, male and female. J. H. Phillips, Sec. 9, Daggett Brook, Route 1, Brainerd. 1733-13913d-4713w

\$2,500—Modern built dwelling, 8 rooms, north Broadway; electric lights, gas, front and back porches. Three corner lots, street paved. For a quick sale will be sold at a bargain, 1-3 cash, balance \$200.00 per month. J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 1723-1381f

FARM FOR SALE—49 acres; good house and well; 40 acres cleared, 15 acres in fall rye, 15 acres seeded down. 8 miles from Brainerd and 3 miles from good shipping point. School on premises. Sandy loam clay sub-soil, on bank of Mississippi. Must sell at once for cash. John Peaslee, Brainerd, Box 213. 1746-14112-4812w

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Bus crank near tabernacle. Please return to Johnson. 1727-13613

LIGHT DRAYING by auto truck. Phone N. W. 727-R. Delos Turner. 1611-1141f

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "lousy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c a box. All druggists.

RUSSIANS PLAN MOVE FOR PEACE

Coalition Government To Seek Peace With Germany Is New Scheme.

UNION OF ALL PARTIES

Report of Peace Program Comes From Two Sources Though Petrograd Is Silent—Confusion Runs Riot.

Copenhagen, Nov. 16.—A new coalition government having for its immediate purpose the bringing about of peace with the enemy is the report that comes from two sources.

No dispatches are being received direct from Petrograd, the censorship preventing correspondents regarding to the world the progress of interior events in Russia.

Kerensky Between Two Armies. A Helsinki dispatch to the Politiken says that the military committee has received the following by telephone:

"When the revolutionary troops reconquered Gatchina, Kerensky with 2,000 to 5,000 men retired to the south. An order was given to cut off his retreat and part of the northern army was dispatched to attack him in the rear.

"The people seem to have lost confidence in Kerensky and Trotsky. It is intended to form a revolutionary coalition government with the representatives of all parties except the well-to-do. The first task of the new government will be to make peace with the enemy."

Confusion Runs Riot.

London, Nov. 16.—Kerensky's mixed detachments are concentrated close to Petrograd, says a Petrograd dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company.

Two thousand persons had been killed in street fighting in Moscow up to noon Tuesday, according to a report brought by travelers arriving at the Russo-Swedish frontier, as forwarded in press dispatches from Stockholm.

In Kiev and various other towns anarchy prevails to an astonishing degree accompanied by mob violence against Jews, these reports say.

An agreement is said to have been reached at Moscow among the Socialist parties to form a coalition government including some Bolsheviks.

An attempt to negotiate for the creation of a Socialist government in Russia and the postponement of a railway strike there are described in an Exchange Telegraph company dispatch from Petrograd.

Kerensky Issues Proclamation. The negotiations for the armistice collapsed because although the Bolsheviks agreed to the terms the Socialists insisted that the Bolsheviks be excluded from the proposed government.

Premier Kerensky, the dispatch adds, has issued a proclamation declaring his adherence to the revolution and guaranteeing the clearing out of the Bolsheviks as well as to the transfer of power to democratic organizations; the preliminary parliament and the committee for safeguarding the country and the revolution.

PEACE MEETING IS FIASCO

Pacifist Conference Collapses After Short Session.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Through Zurich, Switzerland, there comes a cable report from Bern of the collapse of the projected pacifist conference which was to have been held in the latter place. At the first and only sitting the conference adjourned to the last of December because there were no Allied representatives, though for the Teutonic powers Dernberg, Erzberger, Karolyi and others were in attendance ready to set out their views.

Y. M. C. A. WAR FUND GROWS

More Than Third of Minimum Sum, Subscribed.

New York, Nov. 16.—Approximately \$13,000,000, more than a third of the \$35,000,000 designated as the minimum amount to be raised throughout the country for the Y. M. C. A. war work fund, has already been subscribed. It was announced here by the National War Work Council late Thursday.

Red Cross Needs More Sweaters. New York, Nov. 16.—An urgent appeal to the women of the country for more knitted sweaters, socks and wristbands for the soldiers and sailors was issued by the Red Cross war council in a statement disclosing that the Red Cross has been obliged to buy half a million machine-made sweaters to meet immediate demand.

Italian Premier Hits War Keynote. Rome, Nov. 16.—Great enthusiasm and patriotic feeling marked the sitting of the Italian chamber of deputies. Prof. Vittorio Orlando, in his first speech as premier, struck the keynote of his policy, namely, that the situation called for acts rather than for words. The premier spoke feelingly of the assistance being rendered by the Allies to Italy and a passage in which he expressed the cordial gratitude of Italy to the "great American republic" for her willing and powerful aid, roused tremendous cheering.

THANKSGIVING NOV. 29

Day is Proclaimed by Governor Burnquist.

Annual Proclamation Calls On People To Offer Thanks and To Pray for Fortitude.

St. Paul, Nov. 16.—His annual Thanksgiving proclamation has been issued by Governor J. A. Burnquist. The text follows:

"In the midst of preparations for the gigantic tasks before the American people, we are approaching Thanksgiving day this year with a special feeling of gratitude for the loyalty and patriotism manifested by the citizens of our state and nation. Today, as never before, are American hearts united with a desire to be of service to those who are so patriotically going forth to serve their country on the fields of battle. At such a time as this we realize the need of that inspiration, courage and endurance necessary for victory in the great war in which we have entered to advance the principles of justice.

"Notwithstanding the diversion of some forms of industry from peaceful pursuits to the national defense, progress is being made in all lines of human endeavor. Labor is everywhere employed. Farms have produced immense crops. Business is active. The state and nation are prosperous.

"Now, therefore, I, J. A. A. Burnquist, governor of the state of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the last Thursday of this month, Nov. 29th, to be observed by all the people of our state, as a day of prayer for fortitude sufficient to secure a righteous peace and of thanksgiving to Almighty God for the many blessings vouchsafed to us as citizens of a free and prosperous republic."

President Woodrow Wilson's thanksgiving proclamation was issued last week.

TROOPS ENROUTE TO ITALY

Allies Send Reinforcements in Large Numbers.

Washington, Nov. 16.—General Fayolle will command the French armies now being sent to Italy, according to an announcement made here. General Foch, the chief of the French staff, is only temporarily in command of the French forces.

From Nice comes a report that train loads of French and British troops are rolling constantly through that place on their way from France into Italy and are greeted with great popular enthusiasm.

Planning Guard For Industries.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The war department is considering organization of a special interior defense force to guard public utilities and war plants from pro-German plotters. This developed when Major General W. H.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Minneapolis Grain. Minneapolis, Nov. 16.—Oats, December, 63%; May, 63.

Chicago Grain. Chicago, Nov. 16.—Corn, December, \$1.19; May, \$1.15; Oats, Dec., 64%; May, 64%.

South St. Paul Live Stock. South St. Paul, Nov. 16.—Estimated receipts at the Union Stock Yards today: Cattle, 6,000; calves, 600; hogs, 17,000; sheep, 5,000; cars, 402.

Railroads entering the yards reported receipts for the day by loads as follows: Burlington, 2; Milwaukee, 16; Rock Island, 3; Omaha, 24; Great Northern, 18; St. Louis, 9; Northern Pacific, 123; Soo Line, 36.

Cattle—Steers, \$5.65@5.75; cows, \$5.78@5.85; calves, \$5.25@11.75; hogs, \$16.55@17; sheep and lambs, \$6@16.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, Nov. 16.—Hogs declined in value today owing to the fact that arrivals were more numerous than had been expected. Cattle offerings lacked quality. There was a fair inquiry for sheep. Hogs receipts, 30,000; slow bulk, \$17.20@17.55; light, \$17@17.50; mixed, \$17@17.60; heavy, \$16.95@17.60; rough, \$16.95@17.15; pigs, \$14@17.50. Cattle—receipts 7,000; steady. Native steers, \$6.85@16.25; western steers, \$5.80@13.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.65@11.25; cows and heifers, \$4.50@11.65; calves, \$6.75@13.25. Sheep receipts 12,000, firm; wethers, \$8.75@12.80; lambs, \$12.25@17.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. Minneapolis, Nov. 16.—Creamery extra firsts, 41c; firsts, 40c; seconds, 39c; dairy, 36c; packing stock, 35c.

Eggs—Fresh prime firsts, new cases free from rots, small dirties and checks out, per doz., 41c; current receipts, rots out, \$11.40; refrigerator, candled, doz., 35c; checks and seconds, doz., 29c; dirties, candled, doz., 29c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 21c; thin, small, unsalable; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 12c; hens, 4 lbs. and over, 16c; 2 to 3 lbs., 14c; hens and culls, 10@12c; ducks, 14c; geese, lb. 12c; springs, lb. 16c.

Must Speed Up Ship Work.

Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—The United States must speed up its shipbuilding program or lose the war, in the opinion of Admiral William T. Bowles, who spoke as the representative of the emergency fleet corporation, before the Chamber of Commerce here.

Admiral Bowles intimated that a draft might be resorted to to obtain shipbuilding workmen and mechanics. He declared people in this country must be brought to a realization of the fact that without ships the armies in process of formation would be helpless.

Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

In running at twenty to twenty-five miles an hour over level road should I retard the spark nearly all the way or move the lever only half way down, as compared with the throttle lever? Would I get the same power or would the engine consume more gasoline than if the spark lever were slightly ahead of the throttle? When should the spark be retarded?

Running over level roads your spark should be kept at nearly full advance, for using a late spark under these conditions and particularly when running from twenty to twenty-five miles per hour tends not only to reduce the power output of the motor and to increase to a surprising degree the amount of gasoline consumed per mile, but also to increase the likelihood of overheating. For ordinary running the best position for your spark lever is two-thirds of the way up the quadrant. The only times when the spark should be retarded are when the engine is laboring under a heavy load, when pulling through sand, mud or other heavy going; when going up a steep hill, which slows down the motor's speed, or when idling. An expert driver has almost perfect control over his car simply by his manipulation of the spark and throttle levers, and more attention would be given to this feature of car operation by many owners if they realized to what extent it promotes efficiency and economy.

When my throttle is at full retard it usually permits enough gasoline to reach the engine to keep it running. Recently, however, the engine sometimes stops. Turning up the needle valve and allowing a little more gasoline to flow, the engine would run all right throttled down, even after the needle valve was returned to its original adjustment. What is the matter?

A number of solutions are possible. Your motor may not be running as well as it did formerly, with the result that it is more likely to stop when throttled down. It is also possible that the auxiliary air valve in the carburetor sticks occasionally, temporarily rendering the mixture inadequate. Valve trouble or any slight irregularity in operation frequently causes a motor to stop when turning over slowly. You should see that all these points are checked up and also that the linkage between your throttle lever and carburetor is working properly, that there are no loose set screws permitting the lever to turn on the shaft, etc. Frequently a thorough cleaning and oiling will suffice.

In making a new piston ring for a cylinder of about four inch base how much larger in outside diameter should the ring be—before it is split—than the base of the cylinder?

A piston ring for a four inch cylinder should be about four and three-sixteenths in diameter before being split, and after it has been split there should be from eight to fifteen one-thousandths inch space between the ends when the ring is tried in the cylinder.

Has an engine using a piston with an arched head more power than one with a flat head of the same diameter? The arched headed piston may be used to get a lighter construction, but it does not necessarily give any more power. Frequently an arched top is used when it is desired to increase the compression slightly. The motor power is not dependent on whether the piston has a flat top, a convex one or a concave one.

What causes a grabbing clutch? The grabbing clutch is due to the insufficient play in the clutch leather expanders, which bring the leather out against the inner rim of the flywheel when the clutch is engaged. The difficulty can be easily overcome by removing washers from the ends of expander plunger stems.

Will you please tell me the best way of testing an engine for leaks around the pistons and priming cups? First flush out each cylinder with about a pint of kerosene oil, first shutting off the gasoline from the tank. Then drain the crank case to get the kerosene out of it. Now cut out the ignition, and be very careful that it is cut out, for when you are pressing down on the starting crank you may find a thirty or forty horsepower kick, which would probably injure or break your arm. Close up tightly all priming cups and on cylinder No. 1. Take an oil can filled with kerosene and flood the plug from top to bottom, being sure to get enough oil in and around the base of the plug so that any escaping air will cause a bubble to appear when you turn the engine over its compression. Be sure you put the kerosene around the priming cups also, for these leak a trifle at times where they are seated, and any leak, however small, will cause trouble in the proper running of the motor. After you use the oil take the starting crank and press it slowly downward, at the same time watching carefully the cylinder and priming cup for any air bubbles which may appear. Repeat until all cylinders are tested, being careful not to skip any one of them by looking at the wrong one under compression. It is more certain to open all relief or compression cocks except the one you

are testing, closing them as you progress with the work. If a bubble appears between the shell of the plug and porcelain or mica it is evidence that the plug needs tightening or a new gasket fitted. If the bubble appears at the seat of the plug it is evidence that the plug is not properly seated and needs to be taken out and a good coat of flake graphite mixed with cylinder oil, to the consistency of putty, placed all over the threads of the plug. Then screw it carefully into its seat; not too tightly, as this would cause it to crack its porcelain and cause it to stick at times. If you have no new gaskets on hand you can make as many as you please by taking a piece of asbestos and a pair of shears and cut out a round ring to fit over the porcelain and then screw the packing nut tightly home. If you test for these slight leaks you will be surprised at finding them when you least expect to do so.

How many revolutions per minute should an engine with four inch bore and six inch stroke make to get the most power from the gasoline? Some time ago I noticed that I used less gasoline per mile running at low speed. Is this generally true?

The best speed from the standpoint of fuel economy varies with different engines. In general, however, it has been found that the most power is obtained from a given amount of gasoline when cars are operated at speed ranging from twenty-five to thirty-five miles an hour. On the basis of the most general gear ratio of three to one and the most common tire size of thirty-four inches such speeds mean that the motors must run at rates varying from 900 to 1,050 revolutions a minute. Of course there are motors which give their greatest power per unit of fuel at speeds lower than these figures, some running down as low as twenty miles, or an engine speed of about 600 revolutions a minute. The motor mentioned may be of such design that this is the case.

If one or two lifting rods on the intake valves of a six cylinder car are too tight or too loose, is there much loss of power? If so, would this be more noticeable in starting than in regular running? Would it have the same effect on the exhaust side, and why?

When the car leaves the factory the lifting rods and valve stems are adjusted so that the clearance between them is only sufficient to allow for expansion of the metal caused by the heating of the engine when running. As a rule, there is only the thickness of a visiting card allowed for this clearance. Naturally the motor operates best with this clearance, and when one or more of the lifting rods are too light or too loose the power output of the engine is diminished. If the rod on the intake side is too loose the valve remains closed for too long a period and is likely to stick. In either case the amount of the incoming charge of gas is cut down so that the explosion in the cylinder is much weaker than would be the case if the valve clearance were correct. If the rod it too tight the valve cannot close properly, and as a result the incoming charge of gas is not properly injected into the combustion chamber, and when compression and explosion take place the partly open valve makes a bad leak, which, of course, greatly reduces the power of the cylinder. Conditions such as these make starting more difficult, and their effect on the engine is more noticeable at this time than when running. If the lifting rods on the exhaust side are too loose the valves remain closed too long and prevent the scavenging stroke of the motor from driving all the burned gas out of the combustion chamber to leave it ready for the incoming charge of fresh gas. An exhaust valve is also more likely to stick if too loose than if its clearance were only the correct amount. If the lifting rods on the exhaust side are too tight the same conditions obtain as on the intake side. The valve cannot close properly, and it is impossible to secure perfect compression, which is requisite for the development of maximum power. The results of the lifting rods having incorrect clearance on either side are the same in all motors, whether of two, four, six, eight or twelve cylinders, though of course the effects would be more apparent in the engines with fewer cylinders.

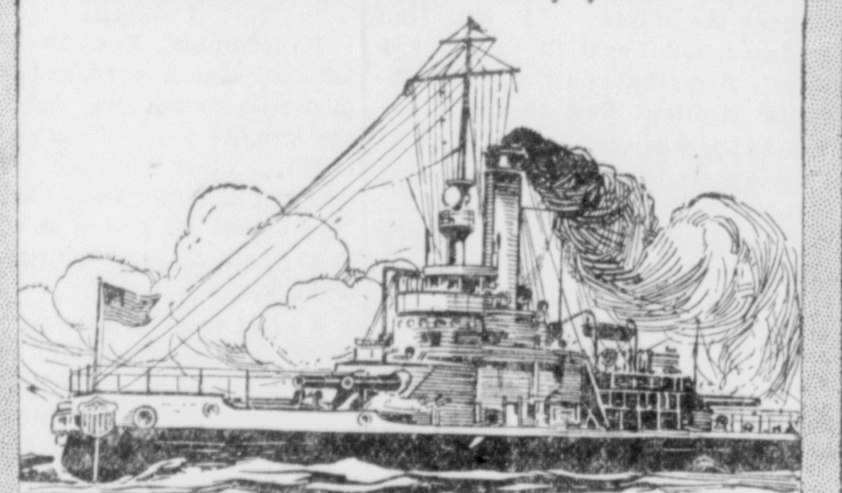
My clutch has bothered me lately by slipping. It is faced with some fabric. The car will stand in the middle of the street on high gear and not affect the running of the engine—that is, the clutch in high will not retard the engine to any appreciable degree, although it will hold on low and second, but better in the former.

There must be something radically wrong with the particular facing on that car, and we would suggest your having a new clutch facing applied. If this does not remedy the trouble, there must be some interference with the clutch entering the flywheel as far as it should. Perhaps the clutch pedal is striking the floor board, preventing it from engaging. It is very possible that heavy grease has leaked into the clutch housing and that the lining is more in need of thorough cleaning than anything else.



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